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PART I SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY PART II FOR MRS. WEINBERGER.

1. SCHEDULE FOR SECRETARY AND MRS WEINBERGER NOW SHAPES UP AS
FOLLOWS. SPECIFIC QUESTIONS REGARDING WEINBERGERS DESIRES ARE
NOTED AS THEY OCCUR IN SCHEDULE:

PART I

2. SYDNEY, SUNDAY, MAY 4

7:30 AM ARRIVE SYDNEY PA 811, MET BY REPRESENTATIVES OF GOA,
AAA (ALAN MOYES, NAT. PRES.) AND CONGEN HANNAH. (AMB. AND MRS.
GREEN WILL ARRIVE SYDNEY LATER THAT DAY). NO PRESS ACTIVITY
PLANNED FOR AIRPORT, BUT REGULAR AIRPORT PRESS AND PHOTOGRAPHERS
MAY TAKE UP A FEW MINUTES. PROCEED TO WENTWORTH HOTEL.

AT 10:00 AM THE OFFICIAL CORAL SEA SUNDAY SERVICE AT ST.
STEPHENS CHURCH. WEINBERGERS ARE, OF COURSE, INVITED AND AAA
WOULD LIKE SECRETARY TO READ THE LESSON, BUT GIVEN FLIGHT
FATIGUE UNDERSTANDS WEINBERGER WILL PROBABLY WANT TO REST.
THIS ITEM INCLUDED ONLY IF SECRETARY DID NOT KNOW ABOUT IT, HE
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MIGHT FEEL UNINFORMED. REQUEST ANSWER AS TO WHETHER WEINBERGERS

WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND SERVICE AND READ LESSON, IF THEY PREFER
NOT TO ATTEND NO PROBLEM.

2:15 - 4:00 PM NOTE FROM REFTTEL WEINBERGERS WISH NO ACTIVITY
IN PM, BUT THEY MAY WISH TO CONSIDER HARBOUR CRUISE ON MARIMTIME
SERVICES YACHT. THEY COULD INVITE UP TO 15 GUESTS TO MAKE TRIP
WHICH IS MOST PLEASANT IF WEATHER GOOD. REQUEST ANSWER IF
WEINBERGERS WOULD LIKE TO MAKE BOAT TRIP AS BOAT MUST BE RESERVED.

4:30 - 5:00 PM RADIO RECORDING AT HOTEL FOR ABC "A.M" SHOW,
NATIONWIDE RADIO SHOW FOLLOWING MAIN ABC NEWS PROGRAM, TO BE
AIRED MONDAY 0800.

5:30 - 7:00 PM . COCKTAIL RECEPTION BY AAA LADIES COMMITTEE
AT AAA CENTER. (MRS. C.W. WATKINS, AMERICAN, PRESIDENT OF LADIES
COMMITTEE). SECRETARY AND MRS. WEINBERGER.

8:00 PM. PRIVATE INFORMAL (LOUNGE SUIT) DINNER PARTY HOSTED BY
U.S. CONSUL GENERAL AND MRS. HANNAH. TWENTY FOUR GUESTS INCLUDING
PREMIER OF NSW AND MRS. LEWIS. SECRETARY AND MRS. WEINBERGER.

3. MONDAY, MAY 5

9:00 - 10:00 AM. NEWSPAPER INTERVIEW WITH AUSTRALIAN SECRETARY
ONLY.

10:15 AM. CALL ON PREMIER OF NSW, MR. TOM LEWIS. SECRETARY ONLY.

11:00 - 11:30 AM. CENOTAPH CEREMONY ST. MARTINS PLACE (3 MINS.
BY CAR FROM HOTEL). (MRS. WEINBERGER TO ATTEND) THIS WILL BE
WITH MILITARY ESCORT AND WREATH LAYING BY SERVICES AND VETERANS
ORGANIZATIONS. SECRETARY WILL BE REQUIRED TO SAY A FEW WORDS
(5 MINS). READ PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE, POSSIBLE THEMES ARE
AUSTRALIAN/AMERICAN TIES IN FOUR WARS AND TRIBUTE TO THE FALLEN
OF BOTH COUNTRIES. SOME REFERENCE TO HIS OWN EXPERIENCES IN
SWPA AND RESPECT FOR AUSTRALIA'S FIGHTING MEN. U.S. AND AUSTRALIA
MUST WORK TOGETHER TO FACE THE GLOBAL PROBLEMS OF TOMORROW
WHERE DANGER IS NOW FROM FAMINE, OVERPOPULATION AND ECONOMIC
DISLOCATION, COOPERATION TO COMBAT THESE PROBLEMS.

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12:30 PM. LUNCHEON BY AAA FOR SECRETARY AND MRS. WEINBERGER IN
WENTWORTH HOTEL BALLROOM. ADDRESS BY SECRETARY 15 - 20 MINS. ON
HIS VIEWS AND PHILOSOPHY OF HEW. Q&A FOR ANOTHER TWENTY
MINUTES. EXPECTED ATTENDANCE 250 PLUS. IT WOULD BE MOST
DESIRABLE IF USIS COULD GET ADVANCED TEXT OF REMARKS.

2:30 - 3:10 PM. PRESS CONFERENCE AT WENTWORTH IN ROOM ADJACENT
TO BALLROOM. SECRETARY ONLY.

3:45 PM. DEPART HOTEL FOR AIRPORT.

4:30 PM. TAKE OFF FOR MELBOURNE. AMB. GREEN WILL ACCOMPANY.
MRS. GREEN WILL RETURN CANBERRA.

5:30 PM ARRIVE MELBOURNE.

NOTES ON SYDNEY: 11:30 - 12:30 MONDAY IS FREE TIME. DO WEINBERGERS
WISH ANY CONTACTS MADE WITH INDIVIDUALS SYDNEY OR ELSEWHERE?
SOME COULD BE INCLUDED IN SOCIAL FUNCTIONS OR LUNCHEON IF
WEINBERGERS DESIRE.

4. MELBOURNE, MAY 5

5:30 PM. ARRIVE MELBOURNE. NO PRESS PLANNED EXCEPT PHOTOGRAPHERS;
PROCEED TO MELBOURNE HILTON. MET BY AAA (PRESIDENT CHARLES
RENNIE, MANAGING DIRECTOR AUST/NEW ZEALAND BANK) AND PROBABLY
NEW INCOMING PRESIDENT TO BE ELECTED NEXT WEEK.

7:25 PM. DEPART HOTEL FOR DINNER HOSTED BY U.S. CONGEN AND MRS.
ROBERT BRAND. 40-50 GUESTS, INFORMAL (LOUNGE SUIT). GUEST LIST
WILL BE SUPPLIED LATER.

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5. MAY 6

9:00 - 9:45 AM. PRESS CONFERENCE AT HOTEL. MRS. WEINBERGER WILL
MEET SEPARATELY LADY JOURNALISTS.

10:00 - 10:30 AM. CALL ON H.E. GOVERNOR OF VICTORIA, SIR HENRY WINECKE (RETURN TO HOTEL). SECRETARY ONLY.

10:45 - 12:15 PM. DISCUSS ASPECTS OF HEW WITH SELECT GROUP OF PERSONS IN SAME FIELDS, ABOUT 20 PLUS. BROWN FROM GOVERNMENT OF VICTORIA, UNIVERSITIES, PRIVATE GROUPS. (LIST WILL BE FURNISHED ON ARRIVAL MELBOURNE) SECRETARY ONLY.

12:30 PM. LUNCHEON BY AAA AT MELBOURNE HILTON. EXPECTED ATTENDANCE 130. FORMAT AND REMARKS CAN BE SAME AS FOR SYDNEY. MRS. WEINBERGER TO ATTEND.

2:45 - 3:15 PM. CALL ON PREMIER OF VICTORIA, THE HON. R.J. HAMER, PARLIAMENT HOUSE. SECRETARY ONLY.

3:30 -4:00 PM. CALL ON LORD MAYOR OF MELBOURNE, RT.HON. RONALD J. WALKER, AT TOWN HALL. DEPART FOR AIRPORT AFTER THIS CALL - RETURN TO HOTEL NOT PLANNED.

4:45 - 5:00 PM. DEPART FOR CANBERRA. SECRETARY ONLY.

6:00 PM. ARRIVE CANBERRA
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6. CANBERRA, MAY 6

6:00 PM. ARRIVE FAIRBAIRN RAAF. AMBASSADOR GREEN WILL BE ACCOMPANYING FROM MELBOURNE. MET BY GOA REP. DR. EVERINGHAM, MINISTER FOR HEALTH, AND AAA PRESIDENT GEORGE SCOTT.

6:20 PM. ARRIVE RESIDENCE.

7:30 - 8:00 PM. DINNER HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR AND MRS. GREEN - 22 GUESTS INCLUDING DR. AND MRS. EVERINGHAM. INFORMAL (LOUNGE SUIT).

7. MAY 7

10:00 AM. SECRETARY WEINBERGER CALLS ON DR. EVERINGHAM, PARLIAMENT HOUSE. (SECRETARY ONLY)

10:30 - 11:45 AM. SECRETARY WEINBERGER MEETS WITH OFFICIALS OF GOA AND OTHER BODIES CONCERNED WITH FUNCTIONS IN AUSTRALIA COMPARABLE WITH HEW - PARLIAMENT HOUSE. DR. EVERINGHAM IN THE CHAIR. (SECRETARY ONLY)

12:00 NOON. RETURN RESIDENCE.

12:30 PM. LEAVE FOR LAKESIDE HOTEL, AAA LUNCHEON. SECRETARY TO ADDRESS GROUP FOR 15-20 MINS. THEN Q&A. MRS. WEINBERGER TO

ACCOMPANY. 100 PLUS EXPECTED.

2:15 PM. LEAVE LAKESIDE AND RETURN TO RESIDENCE.

2:55 PM. DEPART RESIDENCE FOR RAAF FAIRBAIRN.

3:15 PM. LEAVE FAIRBAIRN FOR SYDNEY.

4:00 PM. ARRIVE SYDNEY.

5:15 PM. DEPART FOR NEW ZEALAND.

PART II

SYDNEY, MAY 5

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9:00 AM. DEPART HOTEL FOR ONE HOUR VISIT TO MARILLAC CENTER FOR DISADVANTAGED GIRLS. MRS. WATKINS, (AMERICAN) PRESIDENT OF AAA LADIES COMMITTEE, TO ACCOMPANY.

10:30 AM. RETURN TO WENTWORTH.

11:40 - 12:20 PM. MEET WITH MEMBERS OF AAA LADIES COMMITTEE AND OTHER AT WENTWORTH TO DISCUSS SOCIAL WELFARE AND EDUCATION IN THE U.S. MRS. WEINBERGER NOT EXPECTED TO SPEAK FORMALLY, BUT THERE WILL BE QUESTIONS.

MELBOURNE, MAY 6.

9:50 AM. LEAVE HOTEL.

10:00 AM. VISIT ROYAL MELBOURNE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL. TEA WITH BOARD OF MANAGEMENT. (PRESIDENT OF WOMEN'S GROUP TO BE ELECTED NEXT WEEK AND CONGEN'S WIFE MRS. BRAND).

2:45 - 4:00 PM. VISIT AAA CENTER TO MEET WOMEN OF AAA AND AMERICAN WOMEN'S HOSPITAL AUXILIARY. RETURN TO HOTEL IF DESIRED, IF NOT, GO DIRECTLY TO AIRPORT IN SEPARATE CAR FROM SECRETARY.

CANBERRA MAY 7.

9:30 AM. DEPART RESIDENCE FOR MARYMEAD CHILDREN'S CENTER - THIS NON-DENOMINATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CHILD CARING AGENCY WHICH IS COMMUNITY ORIENTED. IF TIME ALLOWS THERE WILL BE A VISIT TO KOOMARRI WORKSHOP AND SCHOOL FOR HANDICAPPED CHILDREN. MRS. TOWNSEND OF AAA TO ACCOMPANY.

11:30 AM. RETURN TO RESIDENCE.

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